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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed 23 October 2002, setting forth a shortened statutory period for reply ending on 23 January 2002. The Applicant files this Amendment and Response contemporaneously with a Request for a Two-Month Extension of Time. The Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner consider the following amendments and remarks.